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"send to me the proofs for correction
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"please send them on to Prof. Gray
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"requested to attend to it. & if 12 fair
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" Prof. Short - Louisville Ky.
" Dr. Darlington - West Chester Penn.
" Dr. Engelmann - St. Louis, Missouri
" Revd. Dr. Curtis. Society Hill So. Car.
" retain for me."

Twenty-first St.
7 Jan.y 1853.

My dear Doctor,

Your note reached me this morning, and as I was just enclosing a letter of Mrs. C's to to my dear father, I scribbled all over and across yr. note and sent it along - telling him what I proposed to say to you in this —

The quotation above is from a list of instructions my father left me before sailing - I will not however trouble you to execute his desires in the matter but if you will be good eno' to forward me the package by Express after retaining the copies he desires you sh.d have, I will comply with my father's wishes in their distribution.

I will deliver the Endlicher to Bridges with much pleasure well knowing, that in so doing I shall do as its owner would desire, whether for the furthering of Science thro' Mr. Wright - or because requested by his friend Prof. Gray.

Mrs. Carey rec.d a very nice & cheerful letter from our father yesterday with wh. we were very much delighted - You may not yet have heard that he has formed a partnership with one of his oldest & best friends in London Mr. Simon, and his prospects & position are infinitely better than we had any idea they w.d be when he left this country -

I am, dear Sir.

Very truly Yours

John Carey Jr.